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225 acres, 45 acres tillage, pasture for 25 cows, 300 bearing apple trees, good sugar orchard with full equipment, 8 room, one story house, barn, 40x60 with basement will fit 20 cows, barn and house cemented, 25 acres of hard wood, lots of growing pine, smooth fields, can be worked with tractor, cuts 65 tons of hay, 2 1/2 miles from railroad station. The owner desires to make sale at once. For price and terms inquire of

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Cuthbert raspberry plants and four varieties of strawberry plants. Also fourteen brown Leghorn hens.

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Pure clean milk. Beginning May 1, I will sell at 10c a quart.

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Having bought the trucking business of Carroll Penley, I am ready to take all kinds of work in the line of trucking and general jobbing. Look for the white horse.

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New and second-hand machines and repairing. Oil and needles.

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Notice having been given that the book numbered 10000 and issued to the undersigned, has been lost and destroyed and that the depositor does not intend to replace it, the same is hereby declared null and void.

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## AMONG THE FARMERS.

"NEED THE FLOW."

New Facts on Potato Diseases.

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## How to Meet Drainage Problems.

(R. N. Atherton, county agent Androscoggin County, Maine.)

Surplus water should be removed to make the soil more open or porous. If water is allowed to stand on the surface, the natural air movement in the soil is stopped, oxygen shut out and plants suffer. A wet soil is always a cold soil and drainage is a necessity in order to increase soil warmth. Wet places on the farm are often comparatively level and can be easily worked if the surplus water is removed. Hence these places are an economic waste.

There are three chief methods of drainage: open ditch, tilling, and well or sinkhole. Of these three the open ditch method is the most economical on the average farm. This is adapted to larger areas, is expensive but permanent and requires much labor. From an economic standpoint this is not a good year to invest money in this way.

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## SOUTH PARIS.

MEMORIAL DAY.

Children were the guests of the women's group at the memorial service at the high school.

Admission G. P. Hulse, the Lewiston architect, was in the village Wednesday.

Mrs. Edith Darnack was a recent guest of the committee, Mrs. B. A. Evans, in Rumor.

Mrs. John Fessenden of Mechanic Falls was in town a day or two the first of this week.

The mid-week prayer meeting at the church will be at 7:30 until further notice.

Mrs. and Mrs. Glenn Kimball and Mrs. Darnack were in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles and daughter Ruth, of Bangor, were guests of her sister, Mrs. George Eastman.

Mrs. Ralph Perkins spent a few days recently with her sister, Mrs. Frank Perkins, in Bangor.

H. B. Pratt and family of Beverly, Mass., are guests of his brother, Charles Pratt, in town.

Mr. Alfred D. Andrews and baby of South Paris were the guests of friends in the village Thursday.

Alon Andrews and family, who have spent the winter in the village, have returned to their home in Bangor.

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## NORWAY.

Miss Della M. Noyes was a recent guest of the Misses Margaret and Jennie Baker in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Russell of Rumor were recent guests of Mr. Russell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Russell.

Mrs. Isabel Noyes, who has spent the winter in Welchville, has returned to this village.

The young people of the Congregational church repeated their three-act drama, "The Supper of Elen," at West Paris Thursday evening.

Hugh Peterson has completed a new novel, "The Supper of Elen," which will be published by the Congregational church next Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown and son, William of Portland were recent visitors in town.

The music pupils of Mrs. Pearl Cook held their annual recital at Grange Hall Thursday evening.

Miss Gene Harwood of Augusta is the guest of Miss Lucy Witt at Norway Lake.

Mrs. Charles H. Sargent, who has been visiting in town, is now in Bangor.

Mrs. James Frost has returned to the Central Maine General Hospital, Lewiston, for further treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Staples, who are keeping house in East Portland, have been guests of Mrs. Staples' mother, Mrs. Laura Staples, in town.

Gerald Griffin, who has had a position with the Noyes Drug Store for several months, has returned to his home in Bangor.

Miss Address Bartlett has gone to Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hume recently made an auto trip to Massachusetts while in that state they visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lovell in West Portland.

Miss Ruth DeLong and Miss Kerchoff, who are guests of George H. Hume at his bungalow on Pike's Hill, will occupy rooms at Gorman, N. H., in a short time.

The third annual meeting of the Norway Maine Club of Massachusetts will be held in Franklin Park, near Portland, Sunday.

Members will assemble at the Overlook Building between 11 o'clock and 1 o'clock.

A large gathering is anticipated.

General John A. Hadley, commander of the Spanish War Veterans of Maine, has announced elected and appointed officers for the ensuing year.

These are Frank E. DeCoster, historian, and Blai P. Brundage, de-camp on the spot.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Pendexter went to Methuen, Mass., to attend the wedding of their son, Hugh, to Miss Helen Haines of that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Paragard of Lynn, Mass., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paragard's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Ridgely.

F. H. Hurd and J. J. Burgess were at South Paris recently and returned with trout and salmon.

Miss Christine Leavitt of West Roxbury, Mass., is visiting her father, William C. Leavitt, and family.

Frank J. McCarthy has sold Wassess Cottage by Mr. Theodor and family to Mrs. John Sampson, who will continue the business.

James F. Chase was in Gardiner Wednesday.

Miss Libbie Goodridge of Bethel was in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Evander E. Whitman and son were recent guests of Mr. Whitman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Whitman, Grover Hill.

Albert P. Bassett is repairing the building in Central Park once used as a ticket office, and with the refreshment booth adjoining it will make a cottage.

The Ladies' Circle of the Universalist church met with Mrs. V. W. Hill Friday afternoon.

Charles W. Chick was in Biddeford several days last week.

Mrs. Walter Emery and Miss Elvira Holt of Bethel were recent visitors in town.

George and Herbert Cummings of Albany were in town one day last week.

Hon. B. G. McIntire is in Springfield, Mass. During the week he has been in Portland and Port Kent, spending several days in each place.

Alfred Dyer has sold his place on Pine Street and will move to Lewiston.

Miss Helen Kenyon of Ellsworth spent last week with her father, James Kenyon, in this village.

Norway Lake Pavilion near Crockett's Bridge has been opened for the season under the management of Mrs. Alice Freeborn. Dances will be held there every Tuesday and Friday evenings during the summer.

The high school baseball team lost a hard fought game with Gould's Academy Wednesday evening, score 5 to 2.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Burbank of Bethel were in the village recently.

E. E. Beal of Portland was a recent visitor at B. G. McIntire's.

Ernest Mattor is building a house on Green Street.

Mrs. David Davis was in Auburn recently visiting her brother, Fred Wing, and family.

Some sixty couples attended the lunch and dance given by the Norway and South Paris Shrine Club at Norway Grange Hall Wednesday evening.

The hall was prettily decorated in orange, blue, green, violet and pink, and the refreshment table was very handsome.

Dancing began at 8 o'clock and ending with the winding of a May pole.

## Woman's Missionary Meeting.

The Western Branch of the Woman's Board of Foreign Missions held a very interesting all day meeting in the Congregational church, South Paris, on Wednesday.

About thirty delegates were present, fifty of whom came from this number in the church during the week.

The program was changed somewhat from that printed in last week's Democrat. It was all given except the number and assigned to Miss Patty Steadman of Portland.

10:15 Devotional Service.

10:25 Welcome. Mrs. H. H. Howard, South Paris.

10:30 Address—"Our New Messenger and the World." Miss Alice M. Kyle, Boston.

11:00 The Pledge of Work of Our Branch.

11:10 Hymns—"The Morning" by Mrs. C. F. Trevelyan.

11:25 Our Work for Young People and How to Do It.

1:45 Hymns—"Ye Christian Herald, Go Proclaim the Gospel." Mrs. H. L. Bartlett.

2:00 Devotional Service.

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## State of Maine.

To all persons interested in either of the estates hereinafter named:

As a Probate Court, held at Bangor, in and for the County of Oxford, on the twenty-second day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

The following matters having been presented for the action hereon heretofore indicated, it is hereby ordered:

That notice be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published in some newspaper published at Bangor, in said County of Oxford, on the twenty-second day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, at the hour of the clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Mrs. E. Everett late of Bangor, deceased; and the estate of said Mrs. E. Everett, as administrator of the estate of said deceased, do hereby present for the probate of the will of said deceased, presented by said Mrs. E. Everett, son and heir.

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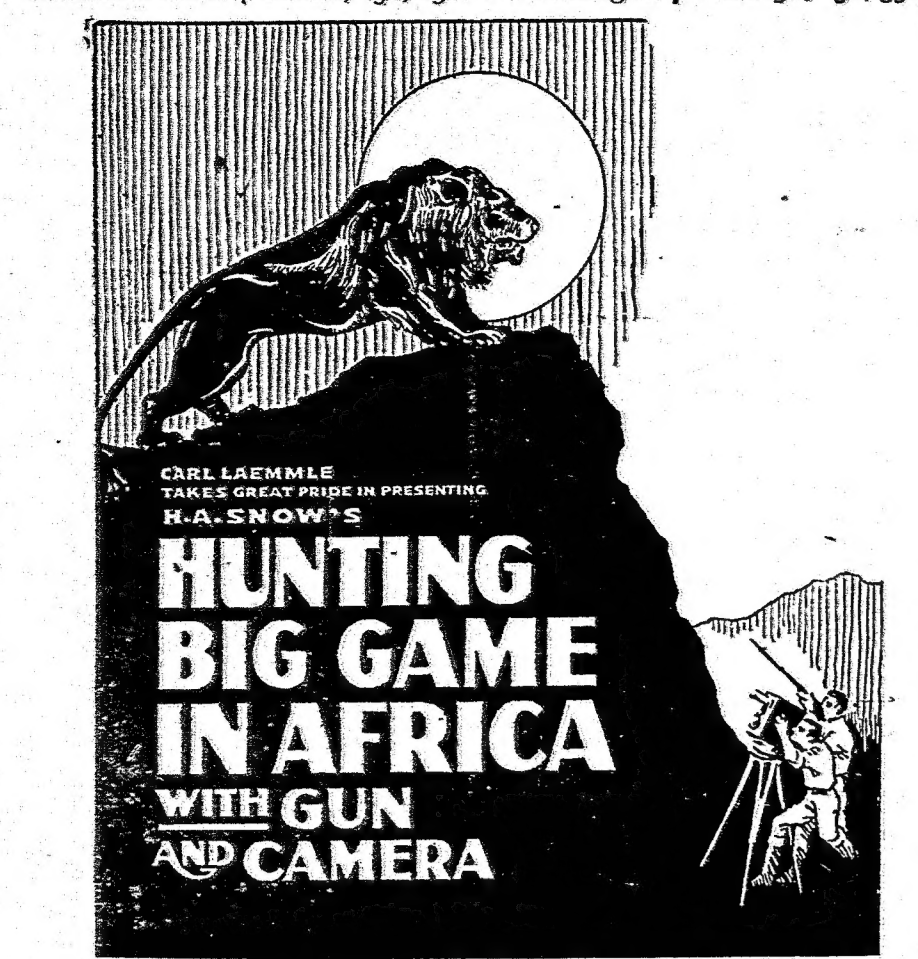


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Matinee at 2 and 4 o'clock, 15c, 25c. Evening at 7 and 8:50, 25c, 35c.



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Tuesday, May 29, playing at 6:45 and 9

Big Double Feature Program

Johnnie Hines in the 6-reel comedy "Luck"

All Star Cast in "TIMOTHY'S QUEST"

From the famous story by the Maine author, Kate Douglas Wiggin. A picture made in Maine by the Divigo Film Co.

International News - ESOP'S FABLES.

Bargain Prices, 15c, 25c.

Wednesday, May 30, Matinee and Evening

Grand Holiday Program. Peter B. Kyne's celebrated story

"Brothers Under The Skin"

Cast includes Helene Chadwick, Norman Kerry, Claire Windsor. The kind of story the whole world loves. It's a howling comedy-drama of married life. Read the book then see it on the screen.

Comedy - "Medium Spirit" Topics of the Day.

Matinee, 15c and 25c. Evening, 15c and 25c.

Thursday, May 31, playing at 7 and 8:40

SHIRLEY MASON "Pawn Ticket 210"

Adapted from the play by David Belasco. Extra added attraction HAROLD LLOYD in "NEVER WEAKEN"

The star of "Grandma's Boy" in a 3-reel comedy scream. Don't miss this one.

Pathe Review. Prices 15c and 25c.

Friday, June 1, playing at 8:45, 7 and 8:40

Dustin Farnum in the Western feature "Justice Waits"

Wm. Desmond in "Around the World in 18 Days"

Fifth big chapter of this thrilling photoplay.

International News.

Matinee 10c, 25c. Evening 15c, 25c.

Saturday, June 2, at 2, 6:45 and 8:45

Another big double feature program

Charles Ray in his big success "R. S. V. P."

Catherine McDonald in "HER SOCIAL VALUE"

EXTRA ADDED ATTRACTION

Reginald Denny in the New Leather Pushers

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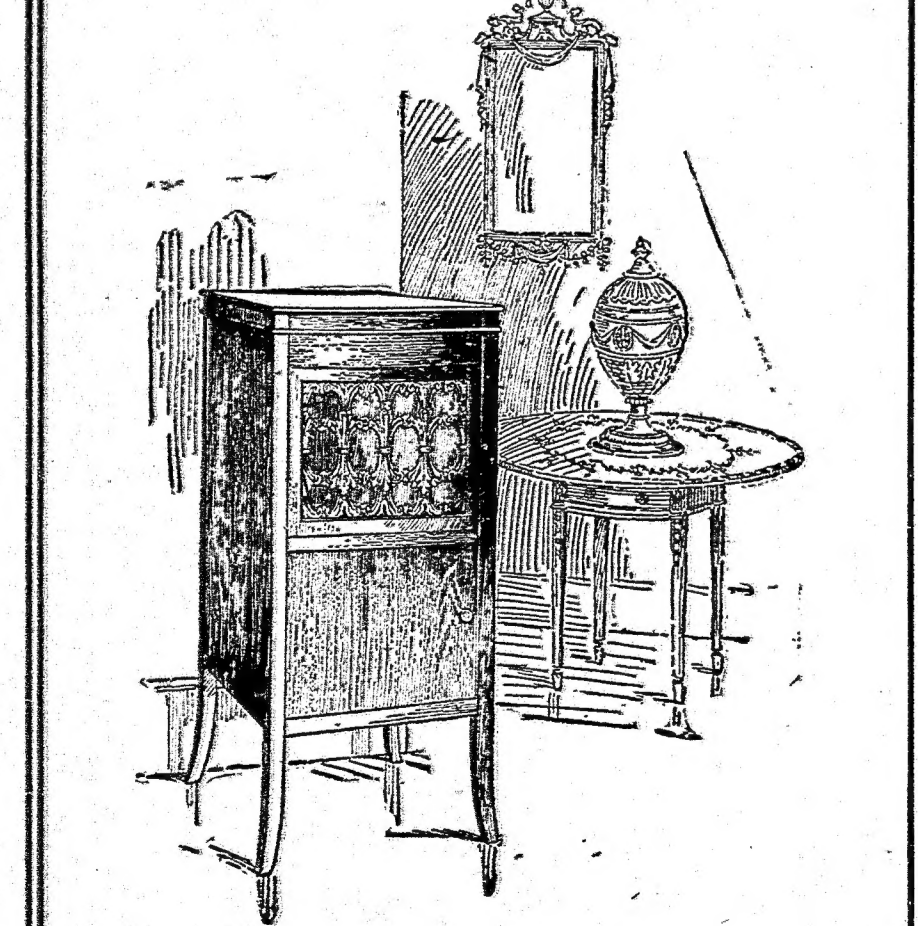
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COMING NEXT WEEK

Jane Novak in "The Snow Shoe Trail," Anita Stewart in "Her Mad Bargain," Alice Brady in "The Leopard," Johnny Walker in "Capt. Fly-By-Night," Theodore Roberts in "Grumpy," All Star Cast in "Bills of Life," John Gilbert in "The Love Gambler."

COMING SOON.

Mary Miles Minter in "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," Zane Grey's story, "The Mysterious Rider."



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THIS characteristically diminutive Heppelwhite cabinet will appeal to all admirers of Heppelwhite furniture. The carving of "The Prince of Wales feathers," popular in Heppelwhite furniture in England during the seventeenth century is attractively worked into this artistic cabinet.

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## HOMEMAKERS' COLUMN.

Correspondence on topics of interest to the ladies is solicited. Address: Editor HOMEMAKERS' COLUMN, Oxford Democrat, South Paris, Me.

### Do You Prepare Your Potatoes Economically?

Potatoes are a cheap and essential part of our daily diet, and yet, if we do not prepare them in the right manner, they will often prove a very costly item. I have been cooking in a family of eight for the past fifteen years, and have made potatoes in over three hundred ways. The experience was worth a great deal, and I learned a great many little economy hints about which the average housewife may, or may not, know.

There was a little bride in the house next door to us who did not know all the economies of preparing potatoes, and one day when I called on her in her blue and-white kitchen, she exhibited a pair of very badly stained hands to me.

"That's what comes from peeling potatoes," she exclaimed.

I looked at her hands and then at her porcelain garbage pail, which stood on the drain board. Inside this pail there was a pile of potato skins that stood up straight and were really (no exaggeration) a quarter of an inch in thickness.

"My dear child," I said, pointing to the pail, "why don't you boil the potatoes in their jackets? You wouldn't have discolored fingers if you did this, and you wouldn't be removing half the poison as you are now doing. Why, the best part of the potato lies next to the skin."

Personally, I always boil my potatoes in their jackets, whether I cook, fry, bake, or steam them. I boil them in one large pot, and they can be peeled one by one when I called on her in her blue and-white kitchen, she exhibited a pair of very badly stained hands to me.

No potato has ever gone to waste in my kitchen. Little potatoes that are too small for the table, I mash or add to my bread dough. Somewhat, a bread without potatoes mixed in it doesn't have the same delicious taste as one that does. If you do not use potatoes in bread dough, make croquettes of them.

Old potatoes, that have been in the box for two or three days, I rejuvenate by soaking them for an hour or two in cold water. Just before using them I put them into boiling water to which a handful of salt has been added and peel them very quickly. The peels do not go to waste, as I dry them thoroughly, and use them later for kindlings.

All these little potato economies may seem trivial to the average housewife, but it is the bit saved here and the bit saved there that grow into dollars. Potatoes can be an economical or an expensive dish—it's up to the cook!

Season and Serve.

The art of making good soup is dependent on the manner in which the cook looks on life. If she lightheartedly refuses to accept responsibility, she begins her preparations for making soup with a can-opener. The woman who saves soup stock, buys a soup bone, and bargains for soup granules no longer has her responsibilities. She faces life fairly and squarely.

The soup bone has never reached the degradation of being put over to cook in a chafing dish, which may explain why young girls, entirely decorated for the role of cook with tiny, white befrilled and-lace-trimmed aprons, have no interest in it.

The handkerchief-size apron of dotted Swiss, with ribbon bows on the pocket, may pass as a cooking apron with the uneducated, but not men grown old and gray with kitchen wisdom, put their faith in the apron that is large and plain, and made of checked gingham.

If the meat at dinner is of the kind that pleases the man, he cares not who selects the pudding. The man who selects the pudding, the man who does not detect it, they are left-overs.

The first time a left-over meat appears, a man is dissatisfied with his dinner; the second time he loudly grumbles, and the third time he refuses to eat it. Moral: The housewife, who would be thrifty and at the same time please her husband, must not consider thrift when planning the meat course.

A good plan when chickens are high is to serve chicken salad, which doesn't necessarily have chicken in it.

A wife should occasionally have chicken for dinner, when there are no guests, so that her husband, who carves, may have his favorite part without lacking in politeness.

Dumplings served with chicken are delicious, but they are as eloquent as wrinkles in a woman's face in giving a hint of her age. Youth in a chicken needs no garnishing.

The prudent housewife serves chicken that resembles a ship on the ocean, in comparison with the greater amount of gravy than chicken.

Table maccies are no longer in vogue; women, these days, do not assume a preference for the backbones of the chicken, in order that their husbands may have the choicer parts.

The most satisfactory fish cook is the woman whose husband never dropped a hook and line in the water. The man who has caught fish and cooked it over a camp fire sees no virtue in the manner in which his wife cooks it.

The principal difference, in a country house, between spinach and dandelion, lies in the growth of the bill.

Scalloped Squash and Potatoes.

Sift through a colander a quart of tomatoes, and add the following seasonings: One tablespoonful of fine-chopped parsley, one tablespoonful of sugar; one teaspoonful of salt; one-half a teaspoonful of white pepper; one whole clove, and four peppercorns. Rub together two tablespoonfuls of four with two tablespoonfuls of softened butter, or a substitute, and cook the whole, stirring carefully, until the mixture bubbles. Put a layer of squash from a quart can of the same, in the bottom of a greased baking dish, cover with a layer of the prepared tomato, and proceed to fill the dish with alternate layers of squash and tomato until it is nearly filled. Cover the top with one-half a cup of buttered crumbs, and bake half an hour in a moderate oven, or until the vegetables are not through and the crumbs well browned.

Some Cakes.

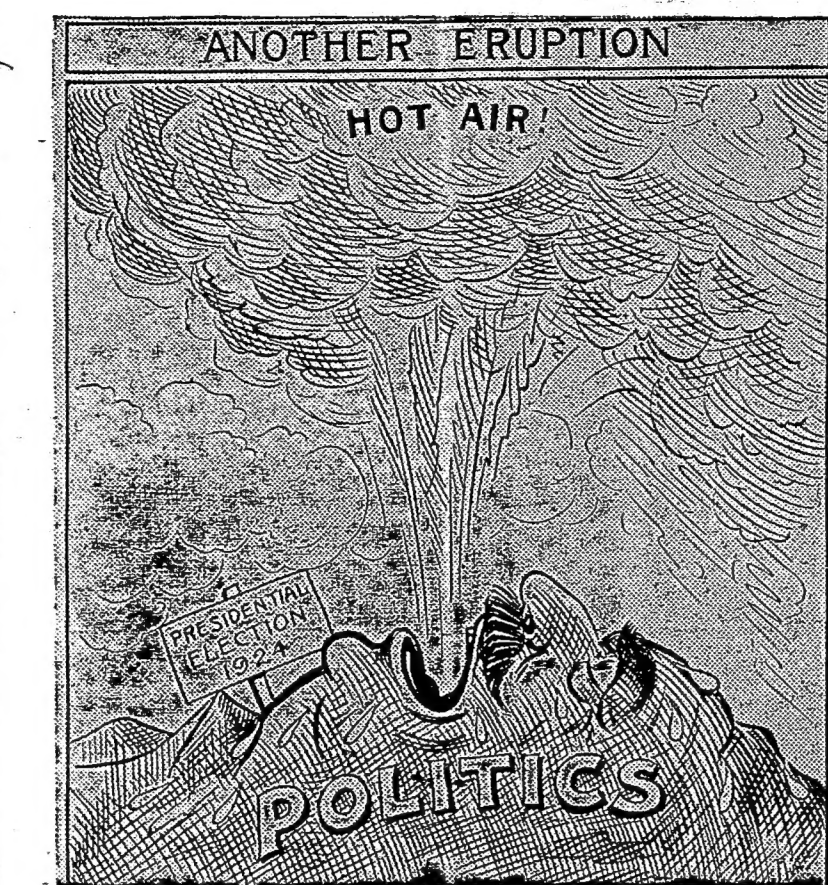
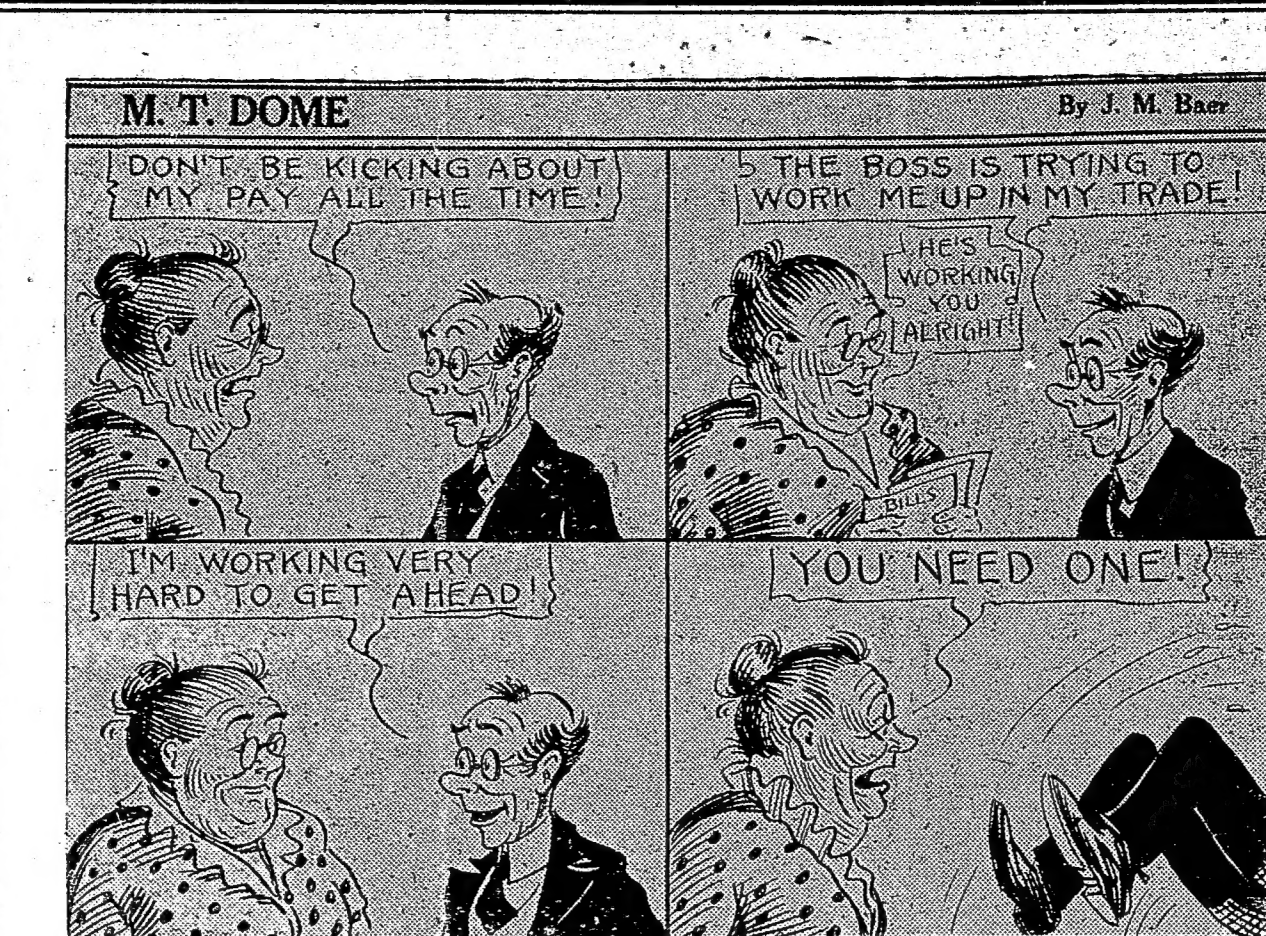
One of the biggest birthday cakes ever baked was out on February 14, celebrating the thirty-ninth birthday of a large department store in an Iowa town.

The cake was five feet, six inches high, and weighed 1,441 pounds. Architecturally it was a gem and as good as the best as could be. Thirty-nine candles graced its pyramids. The great mountain of sweetness stood in a place of honor on the first floor of the store, admired by all, and was out distributed among the patrons of the store during the week.

It took the baker and his corps of assistants exactly five days to bake the cake, and one day and one night to assemble and decorate it. The ingredients that went to make this huge culinary product are:

177 dozen of eggs  
92 pounds of butter  
17 gallons of milk  
1 gallon of vanilla  
550 pounds of sugar  
5 pounds of baking powder  
410 pounds of flour.

Crystal vases often become discolored when they have been frequently used to hold flowers. The dark stains may be removed by moistening tea leaves in vinegar and scrubbing with them.



Mount Etna, Catania, Italy, famous old volcano, is in violent eruption to-day.

### SIXTY YEARS OF MEMORIES

Struggles of the Civil War Made Possible the Victory That Saved the World's Liberties.

Memorial day is chosen as the time of remembrance for those who fought and fell in the service of their country. It has been set aside for more than half a century as a time to honor those who gave their lives or offered them in the Civil war.

The American nation turned the tide in the World war—but how did America come to be a nation? Through the blood and sufferings of the men who went out from '61 to '65 to fight for an idea. Had the land been divided between North and South then, a further division between East and West might well have been the next step, and after that—who can say? Instead of being an example of the strength and prosperity which go with union, America would have been little more than a second weaker Europe, unable and probably unwilling to take a decisive part in the contest that decided the fate of the world.

"Crump, tramp, tramp, the boys are marching." The poppies of Flanders fields bloom in triumph now because the boys marched 60 years ago. They are boys no longer. Beards are white.

It's different. Made of pure asbestos fibre wound in brass wires, then woven into a staunch fabric—non-burnable—requires no trimming. It is only to be found in a NESCO PERFECT OIL COOK STOVE.

Housewives who are familiar with oil cook stoves are most enthusiastic over the famous Nesco Rockweave Wick. You will be too. Come in and witness a practical demonstration of the Stove and Wick.

N. A. CUMMINGS, Paris Hill.

Statement of the Condition OF THE Oxford County Loan and Building Association, SOUTH PARIS, April 4, 1923.

CLARENCE G. MORTON, President. LESLIE L. MASON, Vice-President. WALTER L. GRAY, Sec'y and Treas.

DIRECTORS—Clarence G. Morton, Leslie L. Mason, Walter L. Gray, Maurice L. Royce, Percival, William C. Smith, J. G. Littlefield, A. Morton, Charles W. Bowler, J. G. Littlefield, Geo. F. Easton, William C. Smith, J. G. Littlefield, H. Strickland, Norman V. Bolster, Paul F. Allen, Robert W. Wheeler, T. M. Davis, Adam Bacon.

Organized June 10, 1920.

RESOURCES.

Loans on mortgage of real estate \$5,500.00  
Loans on shares 240.00  
Securities 1,077.40  
Cash 200.00  
Total \$6,997.40

LIABILITIES.

Accumulated capital \$238,988.00  
Advance payments 685.00  
Guaranty fund 174.00  
Profits 940.00  
Bills payable \$240,687.00

Number of shareholders 940  
Number of borrowers 202  
Number of shares outstanding 1,074  
Number of shares pledged for loans 252  
Number of loans 252

FRED L. LAWRENCE, Bank Commissioner.

## STATE OF MAINE.

To all persons interested in either of the estates hereinafter named:

At a Probate Court held at Paris, Me. and for the County of Oxford, on the Fifth Tuesday of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three, The Probate Court, a newspaper published at South Paris, in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Paris, Me. on the third Tuesday of June, A. D. 1923, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Algeron S. Andrews late of Paris, deceased; petition for the appointment of Walter L. Gray or some other suitable person as administrator of the estate of said deceased, presented by Albert W. Andrews, son and heir.

Silvanus S. Andrews late of Oxford, deceased; petition for the appointment of Charles S. Andrews as administrator of the estate of said deceased, presented by Charles S. Andrews, son and only heir.

Estelle E. Hollis late of Paris, deceased; petition that Harold B. Hollis be appointed as administrator of the estate of said deceased, presented by said Harold B. Hollis, son and only heir.

Ann M. Johnson late of Paris, deceased; petition for the appointment of Walter L. Gray or some other suitable person as administrator of the estate of said deceased, presented by Leroy S. Johnson, a creditor.

Frank L. Byers late of Hartford, deceased; petition that May Forest Byers be appointed administrator of the estate of said deceased, presented by said May Forest Byers, widow.

Mary H. Pettie late of Lovell, deceased; petition that May Forest Byers be appointed administrator of the estate of said deceased, presented by said May Forest Byers, widow.

Ida E. Nease late of Milton Plantation, deceased; petition for the distribution of the balance of the estate of said deceased, presented by said Ida E. Nease, widow.

Witness, ARTHUR E. STEPHENS, Judge of said Court at Paris, this Third Tuesday of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty-three.

ALBERT D. PARK, Register.

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executrix of the will of CYNTHIA A. POMEROY, late of Paris, Me. in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

MABEL D. PARK, Paris, Maine. May 15, 1923. 21-23

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of EILEEN M. PARSONS, late of Canton, Me. in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

J. ALTON SYLVE, Canton, Maine. May 15, 1923. 21-23

NOTICE.

The subscriber hereby gives notice that he has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of ELLA F. ADAMS, late of Sweden, Me. in the County of Oxford, deceased, and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

BENNETT PIERCE, Bridgton, Maine. May 15, 1923. 21-23

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## The VETERAN MOTORIST gives a few rules of the road

"A vehicle, overtaking another, shall pass to the left, but must not interfere with traffic from the opposite direction, nor pull over to the right before entirely clear of the overtaken vehicle."

"I've picked up a lot of motoring experience since I first drove the old two-cylinder bus 'way back in—guess it must have been around 1906 or '07. And there are two rules of the road that I've always stuck to. 'Safety first' is one of them, and 'consideration for the other fellow' is the second.

"I really believe that it's because I have stuck to them that I haven't had a single smash-up. (Three taps on wood, as I write this!) Just take the matter of passing a car. Simple enough—sure. And the driver that uses common sense and a little consideration never has any trouble. But this habit—and it's mostly a habit—of always trying to get ahead of the fellow in front of you is the cause of more close shaves and real accidents than any other one thing I know of.

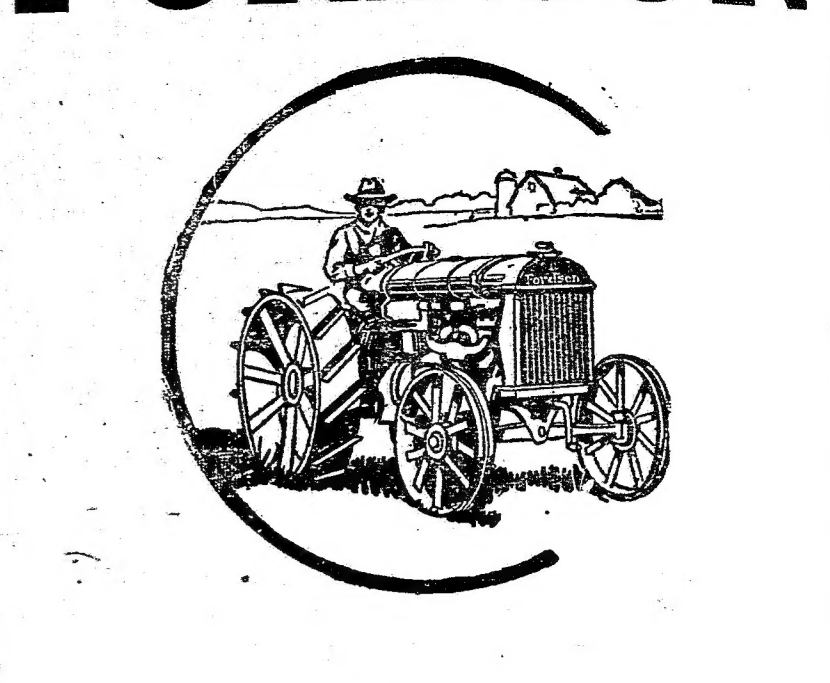
"Make sure there's plenty of room ahead of the car you're going to pass. And remember—it's bad business to pass a car near the top of a hill, or on a curve. In fact, it's against the law in some States to pass another car on a curve."

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